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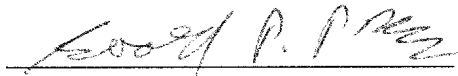
In order to advance the prosecution of the present application to issue, all the rejected claims are being cancelled, without prejudice against pursuing them in a continuation application. Accordingly, it is believed that this application is now in condition for allowance, with the remaining claims 4, 5, 14 and 15. An early indication of its allowance is therefore solicited.

Confirming a telephone message left with Examiner Gevell on November 13, 2007, the Office Action that we received was not for the present application but rather was for a different application no. 10/946,060 with the correct cover page for the present application. That is, the cover page was correct but the Office Action following it was for the different application. We obtained the Office Action for the present application from the records of this other application no. 10/946,060 on PAIR. We found that they had been switched. It is hoped that this mix-up has now been corrected, so that the records of the USPTO are correct and that the present application can proceed to issue without delay.

If the Examiner has any further matters that need to be resolved, a telephone call to the undersigned attorney at 415-276-6534 would be appreciated.

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